

**MINUTES OF THE  
NATURAL RESOURCES APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE  
February 17, 2004  
Room 403, State Capitol**

MEMBERS PRESENT:       Sen. Thomas Hatch, Co-Chair  
                                  Rep. David Ure, Co-Chair  
                                  Sen. Parley Hellewell  
                                  Rep. Craig W. Buttars  
                                  Rep. Carl W. Duckworth  
                                  Rep. Ben C. Ferry  
                                  Rep. James R. Gowans  
                                  Rep. Michael Noel  
                                  Rep. R. Curt Webb

MEMBERS ABSENT:       Sen. Ron Allen  
                                  Rep. Darin G. Peterson  
                                  Rep. Michael R. Styler

STAFF:                     Steven Allred, Fiscal Analyst  
                                  Cindy Hopkin, Committee Secretary

**Note:**   A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Rep. Ure called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

MOTION: Sen. Hatch moved to approve the minutes of February 12, 2004 with the following corrections. The third motion on page two should read:

*Rep. Ferry moved to increase the Pesticide Processing Service fee in the Department of Agriculture and Food from \$10 to \$30, and not change fees for Product Registration or the triennial Dealer License.*

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Allen, Rep. Gowans, Rep. Noel, Rep. Peterson and Rep. Styler absent for the vote.

MOTION: Rep. Ferry moved to reverse the reallocation of \$343,400 in General Funds from the Department of Agriculture and Food, and instead submit the prioritized list on the handout to the Executive Appropriations Committee with the "Ongoing Revenues Generated from H.B. 283" as the first priority (in the order listed), and the "Ongoing Funding" list as second priority with State Fair being number 6 instead of 1. The items prioritized under the title "Ongoing Revenues Generated from H.B. 283" should be accompanied by a note requesting the Executive Appropriations Committee fund the items by reallocating General Funds from the Department of

Agriculture and Food if House Bill 283 passes. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Allen, Rep. Peterson and Rep. Styler absent for the vote.

MOTION: Sen. Hatch moved to adopt the intent language on the second handout. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Allen, Rep. Peterson and Rep. Styler absent for the vote. As a result of this language, the capital outlay authorization to the DNR Internal Service Fund is \$204,000.

MOTION: Sen. Hatch moved to approve the "Special Use Permits" fee for the Division of Wildlife Resources on the third handout. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Allen, Rep. Peterson and Rep. Styler absent for the vote.

MOTION: Sen. Hatch moved to adjourn the meeting at 4:45 p.m. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Allen, Rep. Peterson and Rep. Styler absent for the vote.

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Rep. David Ure, Co-Chairman

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Sen. Thomas Hatch, Co-Chairman